

## Madera Ranch Proposal Integration Panel Comments

1. Concern about proceeding with acquisition before on-site impacts evaluated and other issues resolved. Could end up with a nice piece of property and no water.
2. Storage is important in meeting CALFED goals, especially water supply reliability, and conjunctive use likely best approach in big picture.
3. Wanted to know more about relative costs, yield, impacts, benefits of this site compared to others.
4. Operation of the storage is the key to realizing environmental benefits or causing environmental impacts so need to know when and where water would be diverted to storage and when and how much would be available for environmental use. Also need to understand assurances that enviro water would be available.
5. Project is the cost equivalent of  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the Temperature Control Device,  $\frac{1}{2}$  GCID, 1 Red Bluff Diversion Dam.
6. Need to better understand relationship to CVPIA B(2) water. If going in whole or part to B(2), need to consider whether CALFED contribution to B(2) is appropriate.